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CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

BY [Signature]

115W  
38040  
Date: 04-25-2005

Dear LaDonna Castanula  
**Elected Official**

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Sincerely,

Ezzie B. Arneaux

Address: 6218 Rietta Houston, Texas 77016

Phone: 713 633-0968

Ms. G. O'Connell  
OPA

MAY 25 2004

BY guy

2004 MAY 24 AM 10:36  
CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

I am the owner of 10.8 acres of land at 11,000 Beaumont Highway in Houston, Texas. The McCarty Road landfill located at 5757 A Oates Road, Houston, TX has requested a permit #2618 for vertical expansion.

Not only has my land been devaluated, but lending institutions have refused financing for prospective buyers of my property, because of this landfill. I, therefore, object to any expansion of this landfill.

*W. E. Arthur*

W. E. Arthur  
465 Barracuda Place  
Corpus Christi, TX 78411  
Phone NO, 361 8551765

*W*

Date: 5/22/05

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

Dear Ms. Castanula:

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Sincerely,

Ambra K. Asberry

Address: 6815 Saucy Oaks

Phone: (281) 987-0470

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JUN 03 2005

BY [Signature]

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

2005 JUN -2 AM 9:58

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4/17

Date: May 22, 2005

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JUN 03 2005

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

BY *[Signature]*

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Debra Ashbury

Address: 6815 Sandy Oaks

Phone: 281-987-0470

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

2005 JUN -2 AM 11:46

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Date: 5/22/05

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2005 JUN -2 AM 10:09

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
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CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE **OPA**

JUN 03 2005

BY B

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Sincerely,

Maurice Asberry

Address: 6815 Sandy Oaks

Phone: 281-987-0470

msw

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Date: 5/22/05

2005 JUN -2 AM 10:08

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
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BY D

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Sincerely,

Odell Ashberry Ashberry

Address:

7716 Hoffman

Phone:

713-633-9412

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OPA

JUN 06 2005

Date: 5-10-05

BY al

Councilwoman Shelley Sekula-Gibbs  
At Large 3  
P.O. Box 1562  
Houston, TX 77251-1562

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MSW  
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Dear Councilwoman Sekula-Gibbs:

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Sincerely,

Patricia S. Avalos

Address: 5710 Guadalupe st

Phone: 281-227-2317

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE

2005 JUN - 6 AM 8:31

TEXAS  
COMMISSION  
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MSW

Date: 4-30-05

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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OPA

MAY 09 2005

BY RS

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Sincerely,

Mary Barnes

Address: 6719 Grey Oaks Dr

Phone: 281-449-3479



Date:

4/30/05

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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Mary Barnes

Address:

67196 Rey Oaks

Phone:

281-449-3479

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**TCEQ Public Participation Form**  
**McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P.**  
**Public Meeting**  
**Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B**  
**Thursday, December 2, 2004**

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Nicole R. Bates, Chief of Staff - State Rep. Harold V. Dutton, Jr.

Address: 8799 North Loop East, Ste. 305

City/State: Houston, TX Zip: 77029

Phone: (713) 692-9192

☐ Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If yes, which one? Rep. Harold V. Dutton, Jr.

**IF YOU WANT TO GIVE FORMAL COMMENT PLEASE ✓BELOW**

☒ I wish to provide formal oral comments.

☐ I wish to provide formal written comments at tonight's public meeting.

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Please give this to the person at the information table. Thank you.

Date: 04/30/05

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MAY 09 2005

BY

RS

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

Dear Ms. Castanula:

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2005 MAY -9 AM 10:27

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Sincerely,

Guthrie M. Bell

Address: 6718 Grey Oaks Dr. Houston TX 77050

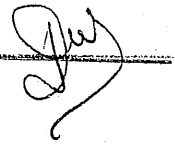
Phone: (281) 449-2578

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AUG 05 2005

Date: 8-1-05

BY



Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
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MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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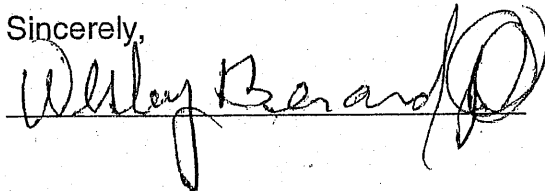
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Sincerely,



Address: 40618 CASTLETON Houston TX, 77016

Phone: 713 633 3624

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TCEQ Public Participation Form  
McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P.  
Public Meeting  
Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B  
Thursday, December 2, 2004

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Louise Black

Address: 11103 Heath Ct.

City/State: Houston TX Zip: ~~77016~~ 77016

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
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APR 28 2005

BY

*[Signature]*

2005 APR 28 AM 10:05

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

Date:

4/25/05

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Sincerely,

Lorise Black

Address: 11103 Heath Ct. Houston, TX 77016

Phone: 281-449-5396

TCEQ Public Participation Form  
McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P.  
Public Meeting  
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Thursday, December 2, 2004

Black

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Tommy R. Black

Address: 1103 Heath Ct

City/State: Houston Tex Zip: 77016

Phone: (281) 449-5396

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*Jul*

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

Date: 4/25/05

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Sincerely,

Tommy R. Back

Address: 11103 Heath Ct. Houston, TX 77016

Phone: 281-449-5396



Date: April 30, 2005

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Brenda Bolden

Address: 6718 Lakemont Drive  
Houston, Texas - 77058

Phone: 281-987-0418

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MAY 09 2005

BY RS

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CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

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Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B  
Thursday, December 2, 2004

Buchanan

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Buck Buchanan

Address: 611 Walker - Ste 1200

City/State: Houston TX Zip: 77002

Phone: (713) 837-9103

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Date: 6/13/05

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Sincerely,

Emma Caldwell



Address:

Mrs. Emma Caldwell  
5610 Briarwick Ln.  
Houston, TX 77016-2605

Phone:

713-631-6580

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JUN 22 2005

BY

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Date: May 19, 05

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Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
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2005 MAY 23 AM 9:15

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Sincerely,

Roy F Candless

Address: 938 RICHLAND DR

Phone: 713-633-3338

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MAY 23 2005

BY [Signature]

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Date: 5/28/05

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2005 JUN 17 AM 9:46

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
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OPAEF CLERKS OFFICE

JUN 17 2005

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BY *KH*

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Sincerely,

*Ernestine Champine*  
*ERNESTINE CHAMPINE*

*Champine*

Address:

*10615 Knightwood Ct.*  
*HOUSTON, TX 77016*

Phone:

*713-631-3736*

OPA

Date: 6-8-06

AUG 05 2005

BY [Signature]

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
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Sincerely,

[Signature]

cc

Address: 5706 Briarwick LN. Houston TX 77016

Phone: 713-683-6235  
281-682-0710

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[Signature] cc

Address: 2943 Blue Jay

Phone: 281-441-4661

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Date: 5-1-05

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Sincerely,

*Kevin [Signature]* *cc*

Address: 9518 Houston

Phone: 713

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

205 MAY -9 AM 10:22

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Date: 5-22-05

2005 JUN -2 AM 9: 59

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Sincerely,

[Signature]

Address: 7409 Bretshire

Phone: 713 631-3882

msw

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Date: 5/19/05

2005 JUN -2 AM 9:57

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Sincerely,

Joe B. Knight

Address: 9230 TATTON, ST

Phone: 713-635-8089

MSW

Date: 04-30-05

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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Sincerely,

Adrian Cook cc

Address: 6711 Lakemont Ave, Fy 77050

Phone: 281-640-8285

Date: 5-2-05

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Sincerely,

W. J. [Signature] cc

Address: 9230 Caddo

Phone: 713-631-2604

Date: MAY 2, 2005

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Sincerely,

[Signature] cc

Address: 7902 Claiborne St.

Phone: 281.924-6767

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Date: 5/1/05

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Sincerely,

Bridgette R. Eason CC

Address: 1923 Sterlingshire Houston, TX 77078

Phone: 713 631 6161

Date:

4/30/05

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Sincerely,

Willie [Signature]

cc

Address:

6722 Moss OAK

Phone:

281-449-5403

Date: May 19, 2005

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TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
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Sincerely,

Justin Davis cc Concerned citizen

Address: 9006 Sultan Dr 77078

Phone: 713-631-9111

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MAY 23 2005

BY JW

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2005 MAY 23 AM 9:00

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**TCEQ Public Participation Form**  
**McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P.**  
**Public Meeting**  
**Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B**  
**Thursday, December 2, 2004**

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Andrea Cooksey  
Address: 6711 Lakemont  
City/State: How, Texas Zip: 77050  
Phone: (832) 215-9084

☒ Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If yes, which one? Northeast Economic Dev

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Date: 5-22-05

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JUN 03 2005

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Sincerely, Chris Cornett

Address: 1542 CHESTNUT TREE LN. Hou. Tex. 77067

Phone: 832-249-1960

*[Signature]*

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Date: May 29, 05

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Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
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Sincerely,

Scott L. Cornett

Address: 1415 Greensprwy/Houston TX apt. 6377067

Phone: 832-858-4339

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May 27, 2004

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Office of Chief Clerk:  
M.C. 105, TCEQ  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

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BY

*[Signature]*

Dear Chief Clerk:

I am sending a few signatures against Permit #261B for the expansion of the McCarty Landfill. There are only a few that will be sent - more coming.

We the United Residents of North Forest District are Against the expansion. We also are not receiving notice by mail to area residents about meetings. The East Houston Civic Club, Inc. has not been notified of hearings already taking place.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Sincerely yours,  
Bernice G. Crawford

Enclosures: 4

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"My signature is provided to show that I am against the expansion of BFI and its landfill in the North Forest District."

PRINT NAME	Signature	Address	Date
✓ Ana Portillo	Ana Portillo	9114 Lake Forest	5-16-04
✓ Jairo Portillo	Jairo Portillo	9114 Lake Forest	5-16-04
✓ Vilma R. AMAYA	Vilma R. AMAYA	9118 LAKE FOREST	5-16-04
✓ Walter Magarin	Walter Magarin	9118 LAKE FOREST	5-16-04
✓ Roberto Ramirez	Roberto Ramirez	9126 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ James Perkins	James Perkins	9130 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Maria Delgado	Maria Delgado	9134 Lake forest	5-17-04
✓ Jenni Villaseñor	Jenni Villaseñor	9202 Lake forest	5-17-04
✓ Jose Mendez	José Mantuano	9222 Lake FOREST	5-17-04
✓ Cristina Rios	C. Rios	9222 Lake FOREST	5-17-04
✓ Kathryn Johnson	Kathryn Johnson	9226 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ George Johnson		9226 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Susan Flores	Diana Flores	9229 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Manuel Flores	Manuel Flores	9229 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Manuel G. Jimenez	Manuela Jimenez	9239 lake forest	5-17-04
✓ Julio Albino	Julio Albino	9239 lake forest	5-17-04
✓ Marita Guifarro	Martha Guifarro	9306 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Rolando Guifarro	Rolando Guifarro	9306 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Gwendolyn Whittier	Gwendolyn Whittier	9314 Lake Forest	5-17-04

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PRINT Name	Signature	Address	Date	Reg.d Voter? Y/N
✓ Bobbie Garna	Bobbie Garna	9136 Lazydale Ln.	5-17-04	
✓ Adelia Trana	Adelia Trana	9241 Forestview	5-17-04	
✓ Floyd WALKER	Floyd Walker	9148 Lazydale Ln	5-17 04	
✓ ANN WALKER	Ann Walker	9148 Lazydale Ln	5-17 04	
✓ Linda Stoot	Linda Stoot	9206 Forest View	5-17 04	
✓ William Gray	William Gray	9206 Forest View	5-17 04	
✓ Angela Gray	Angela Gray	9152 Lazydale	5-17 04	
✓ Joe Gray	Joe Gray	9152 Lazydale	5-17 04	
✓ Kenneth Benjamin	Kenneth Benjamin	9329 Forestview	5-17 04	
✓ Ray Minter	Ray Minter	9210 Forest view St.	5-17 04	
✓ Carolee Collins	Carolee Collins	9133 Luke Forest	5-17 04	
✓ Glenda Stevens	Glenda Stevens	9030 Lake Forest	5-17-04	yes
✓ James Stevens	James Stevens	9030 Lake Forest	5-17-04	
✓ Lashonda Grimes	Lashonda Grimes	9030 Lake Forest	5-17-04	yes
✓ Mary Collins	Mary Collins	9133 Lake Forest 9229 Forest View	5-17-04	
✓ Zeno Grimes	Zeno Grimes	9229 Forest View	5-17-04	
✓ Victor Bucio	Victor Bucio	Houston TX 77078 8910 Lake Forest Forest	5/17/04	yes,
✓ Evelia Bucio	EVELIA Bucio	77078 8910 Lake Forest Houston TX	5/17/04	yes,
✓ LAWRENCE CRANFORD	Lawrence Cranford	9102 Lake Forest Blvd	5/17/04	YES
✓ BERNICE J. CRANFORD	Bernice J. Cranford	9102 Lake Forest Blvd	5/17/04	YES

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PRINT NAME	Signature	Address	Date
✓ Melvin Doucett	Melvin Doucett	9314 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Elizabeth Klavner		9210 MIRAWOOD	5-17-04
✓ GUADALUPE RIVERA	Guadalupe R	9221 MIRAWOOD	5-17-04
✓ MARIA RIVERA	Maria Rivera	9221 MIRAWOOD	5-17-04
cc ✓ Lufoundawend	Lufoundawend	9214 Monterrey	5/17/04
✓ Robert Valdez	Robert Valdez	9209 Monterrey	5/17/04
✓ Delia ARCE	D. A.	9205 MONTERREY	5-17/2004
✓ ROSA MARTINEZ	Rosa Martinez	9105 LAKE FOREST	5/17 04
✓ OMAR MARTINEZ	Omar Martinez	9105 LAKE FOREST	5/17-04
✓ ELIZABETH WILLIAMS	Elizabeth Williams	9110 Lake Forest	5/17/04
✓ Robert E. Williams	Robert E. Williams	9110 LAKE FOREST	5/17/04
✓ Steven P. Williams	Steven P. Williams	9110 Lake Forest	5/17/04
✓ W. Williams	W. Williams	9110 Lake Forest	5-17/04
✓ CLARKE COOPER	Clarke Cooper	9113 Lake Forest	5-17-04
✓ Charles Roberts	Charles Roberts	9109 Lazydale Lane	5-17-04
✓ Rhonda Bottla	Rhonda R	9109 Lazydale Lane	5/17/04
✓ Betty Rodgers	Betty Rodgers	9109- Lazydale Ln	5/17/04
✓ Tina GAONA	TINA GAONA	9130 LAZYDALE LN.	5-17-04
✓ Juan Valera	Juan Valera	9130 LAZYDALE LN.	5-17-04

JOHN GAONA

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✓ Bill Robbins	Bill Robbins	8922 Lake Forest Blvd 77078 ✓	5-18-04	Yes
✓ JAMES MORGAN	James Morgan	8918 LAKE Forest 77078 ✓	5-18-04	Yes
✓ WILMA F MORGAN	Wilma F Morgan	8918 LAKE Forest 77078 ✓	5-18-04	Yes
✓ JUAN GOMEZ	Juan Gomez	8914 LAKE FOREST 77078 ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ ALBERTO GOMEZ	Alberto Gomez	8914 LAKE Forest 77078 ✓	5-18-04	Yes
✓ Joanna Guajardo	Joanna Guajardo	8914 Lake Forest Blvd 77078 ✓	5-18-04	Yes
✓ SAMUEL	Samuel TP	8917 LAKE Forest 77078 ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ MARIA CARRILLO	Maria Carrillo	8917 LAKE Forest ✓	5/18/04	Yes
✓ Maria Morales	Maria Morales	8913 LAKE forest ✓	5/18/04	NO
✓ OSCAR DIXON	Oscar Dixon	8909 Lake Forest ✓	5/18-04	NO
✓ Michael Hurd	Michael Hurd	8906 Lake Forest ✓	5/18-04	NO
✓ Adriana Tovar	Adriana TOVAR	8905 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ Jasmin Nunez	Jasmin Nunez	8905 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ Hector Madrigal	Hector Madrigal	8905 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ Martin Tovar	Martin Tovar	8905 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ Carlos Dominguez	Carlos Dominguez	8905 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ Cindy Flores	Cindy Flores	8906 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO
✓ LEE NAUKING	Lee Nauking	8952 LAS CRUCES	5-18-04	NO
✓ CHANA NAUKING	Chana Nauking	8952 LAS CRUCES	5-18-04	NO
✓ Javier Sobrevilla	Javier Sobrevilla	8960 Las Cruces ✓	5-18-04	NO



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2004 DEC -1 PM 2:58

CHIEF CLERKS OFFICE

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Chief Clerk  
TCEQ, MC-105  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Dear Chief Clerk:

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Oates Rd., Houston, Tx. 77078-4811.

My formal comments are as stated.

1. Contamination of the soil & water on Ley Rd.  
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year round from 9500 Ley to 11000 Ley Rd.
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3. Constant gas odor from Methane Gas Plant  
located at 9416 Ley Rd.
4. Odor from Landfill & burning smell late  
at night - 10:00 P.M. - 2:00 A.M. - like dead carcasses.

Thank you for your diligence & help in this matter.

P.S. many complaints made  
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over many years.

Sincerely yours,  
Renee H. Brown

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**TCEQ Public Participation Form**  
**McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P.**  
**Public Meeting**  
**Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B**  
**Thursday, December 2, 2004**

PLEASE PRINT:

Name: BERNICE V. CRANFORD  
Address: 9102 LAKE FOREST BLVD  
City/State: HOUSTON, TX Zip: 77078-3333  
Phone: (713) 633 9444

☐ Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If yes, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

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November 28, 2004

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Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B  
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PLEASE PRINT:

Name: LAWRENCE CRANFORD

Address: 9102 LAKE FOREST BLVD

City/State: HOUSTON TEXAS Zip: 77078

Phone: (713) 633-9444

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Chief Clerk, La Donna Castanuela  
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2005 JAN 24 AM 10:21  
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Dear Mr. Castanuela:

I am writing regarding the Revised Notice of Application for Permit #261B. The vertical expansion & draft for the Mc Carty Landfill TX, LP, 5757 A Oates Rd., Houston, Texas, 77078-4811. This Landfill needs to be closed & cleaned up.

We live at 9102 Lake Forest Blvd., Houston, Texas 77078-3333. Our community has complained for years to the EPA about the odor from the Landfill & the Methane Gas Plant at 9600 Ley Rd. The odors & burning smell at night are terrible. The gas odor is early morning & throughout the day at times.

We are requesting water & soil samples to be taken from 9600-11,500 Ley Rd. where it intersects with North Greenriver. The water stands year round at these locations.

We are also requesting air monitors  
through-out the communities of  
Chattwood & Lake Forest I. The  
streets from 8900 - 9400 Richland to  
Lake Forest Blvd. also Sultan &  
The Lakewood Elementary at the end  
of Laura Koppe.

There has been a lot of breathing  
problems & seems to be a high rate of  
cancer in this area.

Thank You for your prompt  
attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence & Bernice Crawford

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OCT 12 2006

BY DM

October 8, 2006

La Donna Castaneda, Chief Clerk  
TCEQ, MC-105  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

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To Whom It May Concern:

We contest the permit application  
of McCarty Road Landfill TX, L.P. MSW  
Permit No. 261B. The comments No. 1-53,  
are all very real concerns to us.

This has a high rate of Cancer & breathing  
related illnesses. The Landfill does not do  
as good a job monitoring this facility or  
the Methane Gas facility. It was on 13 news  
with Marvin Zindler several years ago about  
hazardous materials from Methodist Hospital  
being dumped at this facility. I was  
diagnosed with lymphoma 5-9-06. This  
is one of the cancers related to this  
facility.

We cannot believe any permit  
was even considered at this site con-  
sidering an Elementary School was less

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than  $\frac{1}{4}$  a mile from this location & many homes.

We do not feel the TCEQ had this community or school in the peoples best interest. It is time the McCarty Rd Landfill found another home away from a community or school.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence Crawford  
Bernice G. Crawford



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2005 MAY -9 AM 10:19  
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Date: 5-07-2005 MSW  
38040 BY KY

Dear Chief Clerk La Donna Castaneda:  
Elected Official

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Lawrence Crawford  
Bernice Y. Crawford

Address: 9102 LAKE FOREST Blvd, Houston, TX 77078-33

Phone: 713-633 9444

Date: 5-26-05

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Sincerely,

Donest Caswell, Jr.

Address: 5222 Yorkwood St

Phone: 713-631-4680

Date:

5/25/05

Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
TCEQ  
MC105 P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, TX 78711-3087

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BY

[Signature]

*04085 / CSM*

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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Ms. LaDonna Castanula  
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Dear Ms. Castanula:

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Phone: 713-635-5347

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Date: April 25, 2005

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Sincerely, *Lesley Ann Dickens*

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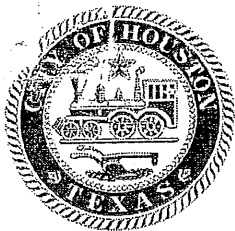
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June 29, 2004

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Mail Code MC105  
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Re: BFI's application to expand the McCarty Road Landfill

Dear Ms. Caspanuela:

A few days ago I called Jeff Holderread at TCEQ to inform him that the City of Houston had received a petition signed by "United Residents of North Forest District Against the Expansion of BFI on Mesa Road - Houston, Texas." Mr. Holderread informed me that TCEQ had already received the petitioners' protest. Nevertheless, he advised me to send the paperwork in my possession to your attention.

Please call me if you or other officials at TCEQ have any questions, and if I am not the right contact, I will do my best to see that your inquiries are directed to the appropriate officials within the City of Houston.

Very truly yours,

Dan Doherty  
Senior Assistant City Attorney  
Phone: 713-437-6761

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Date: 4-30-05

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Sincerely,

Lee R Dunham Jr.

Address: 7621 Lakewood Dr.  
HOUSTON TEXAS 77016

Phone: 713 631-0755

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2005 APR 28 AM 10:03

Date: 4-25-05BY JW

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Sincerely,

William H Ford

Address: 10607 BARNHAM HOUSTON TX 77016

Phone: 713-633-0995

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Date: 04/30/05

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Date: 05.02.05

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Proposed Amendment to MSW Permit No. 261B  
Thursday, December 2, 2004

PLEASE PRINT:

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580 Langley

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281-449-2423

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Sincerely,

*Shirley Sims*

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Phone: (713) 635-6241

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Commissioner Sylvia Garcia  
Precinct 2  
1001 Preston, 9th floor  
Houston, TX 77002

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Shalter M. Headley

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Phone: 713-631-0052

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February 11, 2004

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Austin, Texas 78711-3087

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By Fax: 512-239-3311

RE: Proposed Major Amendment No. 261B  
McCarty Road Landfill, TX, LP.

Chief Clerk:

Harris County Pollution Control would like to submit comments on McCarty Road Landfill TX, LP's application for a permit amendment authorizing the vertical expansion and continued operation of the Type I municipal solid waste landfill facility located at 5757A Oates Road, Houston, Harris County; and the Executive Director's preliminary decision and draft permit. The notice of application and preliminary decision was published in the *Houston Chronicle* on January 14, 2005. The public comment period ends on February 14, 2005, and these comments are submitted within that time period and are therefore timely. We offer the following comments for the TCEQ's consideration:

**Height of the Landfill.** The amended permit application proposes to increase the vertical size of the landfill from 188 feet to 316 feet. We are concerned about the impacts on the pre-Subtitle D liner systems; and whether positive final cover slopes can be maintained over the 30-year initial post closure period. While a horizontal expansion of the footprint would be subject to the more stringent Subtitle D requirements; there are currently no such requirements for vertical expansions on the existing permitted site. For this site, only about 20% of the current footprint is subject to the more protective Subtitle D requirements (advanced liner systems, leachate collection and treatment systems, enhanced groundwater monitoring and pre-funding of post-closure activities). For the remainder of the footprint, the proposed vertical expansion would fall under less protective pre-Subtitle D standards. Thus, our concerns are that as waste subsides over a number of years, it may affect the integrity of the pre-Subtitle D clay liner

resulting in potential impacts to the environment. The additional weight and leachate generation from the greater waste volume would also result in greater impacts on the liner systems and potential discharge to the environment.

**Estimated Life of the Landfill.** Unlike permits in other media (e.g TPDES, Air) where distinct expiration dates are stated in the permit, this proposed amendment bases the estimated life of the permit on maximum waste acceptance rates and waste volumes (Draft Permit Provision II.D and E). The proposed permit, for example, provides that authorized solid waste may be accepted at the current rate of approximately 6,000 tons per day and increasing at the same rate as the population of Harris, Montgomery, and Liberty Counties and surrounding areas to a maximum daily acceptance rate of 7,061 tons per year. The permit provision concludes that the estimated life of the site is approximately 10.9 years. However, more waste can be filled as there is subsidence over the years and as more volume is created; and with waste acceptance rates being subject to factors such as how well the economy is performing and growth in population, it is entirely possible that the estimated life of the permit could be drawn out into decades. To that extent, we would like assurances that all of the worst case scenarios have been considered, and this application over a maximum life of the permit and the initial 30-year post closure period, will be protective of the environment, and public health and safety.

**Maximum Size of the Unloading Area.** 30 TAC § 330.117(a) provides that the unloading of solid waste must be confined to as small an area as practical and that the maximum size of the unloading area must be specified in the Site Operating Plan (SOP). The rule also states that the number and types of unloading areas must be identified. Section 4.2 relating to unloading wastes, refers to Part III, Attachment I, as including typical examples of the working faces shown on drawings. Examples, however, do not meet the requirements of 30 TAC § 330.117(a). A maximum area of the unloading area as well as number and types of unloading areas need to be specified in the SOP and working faces need to be confined to as small areas as practicable.

**Compliance History.** In considering the issuance of an amendment to a MSW Permit, the commission is required to consider compliance history under 30 TAC Chapter 60. The compliance history period being considered by the TCEQ is from March 25, 1999 - October 20, 2004.

We would like to bring to TCEQ's attention the Applicant's compliance history as documented by the City of Houston Bureau of Air Quality; and Harris County under their enforcement authority in Texas Health and Safety Code Ch. 361 and Tex. Water Code Ch. 7. In the period covering September, 2000 to December, 2004, Harris County Pollution Control issued to the Applicant 13 violations of the nuisance provision in 30 TAC § 101.4 (see attached list of violations). The last NOV was issued as recently as December 9, 2004. The City of Houston received 4 odor-nuisance complaints during the period of August 13, 2001 to September 28, 2001. The City of Houston also issued several NOVs for non-odor related violations during late - 2001 to September, 2003.

As evidenced by this record, a common problem with the site has been odor violations; and it is an issue that Harris County has most concern with and would like tighter controls. Harris County Pollution Control has considered forwarding these violations for civil prosecution.

Better and enforceable permit provisions and the Applicant's compliance may avoid the need to seek prosecution. While the SOP addresses odor, it is written in general terms and is largely unenforceable. We ask TCEQ to modify the permit and the SOP to include more enforceable provisions. At a minimum, a comprehensive odor plan needs to be provided in the SOP. The following is a more detailed discussion of the odor management plan in the SOP and the need for tighter provisions:

**Odor Management Plan.** 30 TAC § 330.125(b) states that the SOP address the sources of odor and include instructions to control odors and that plans for odor management must include the identification of wastes that require special attention such as septage, grease trap waste, dead animals, and leachate. Section 4.10 of the SOP on Air Quality/LFG Control, includes some very general provisions such as increasing the thickness of daily cover applied to the working face, minimizing the size of the active working area, assessing the effectiveness of the existing landfill gas (LFG) extraction system, and expanding the gas collection and control system; however, these provisions are vague and unenforceable (we also suggest a small typographical change to correct the spelling of odiferous in this section).

The plan also states that the Landfill Manager may evaluate the possible use of misters and chemical deodorizers when other controls do not reduce significant odors; and again, this does not establish that misters or chemical deodorizers will be used as part of the odor management plan. To our knowledge, the facility has set up an odor-control mister system which it expects to expand, and it should be a part of the SOP. References to the odor-control mister system should also be included in the sections on Equipment and Site Inspection and Maintenance List.

The section also does not identify waste requiring special attention such as leachate, and plans for managing those odors. Instead of being trucked, leachate will be piped to a POTW through a sewer system. There are odors associated with leachate and the odor plan in the SOP is lacking in providing measures that will be taken to limit the leachate odors.

Lastly, the Applicant represented at the public meeting that a key component of their odor management plan is to add more gas collection wells over the years. However, since a vertical expansion would require the site to come into compliance with the New Source Performance Standards for MSW landfills (40 CFR 60 Subpart WWW whose purpose is to reduce methane and non methane organic compounds), it is not clear if the addition of gas collection wells is being undertaken to come into compliance with NSPS requirements or as an additional "over and beyond" effort on part of the Applicant to control odor. To the extent that additional wells are being built to control odor specifically, it should be also included in the SOP.

We also propose that consideration be given to a performance based provision to address control of odors. This provision could be "Should two or more notices of violations be issued to the permittee by a regulatory authority in any rolling one year period, the permittee must initiate additional odor abatement measures in consultation and agreement with the TCEQ, Harris County and the City of Houston."

**Daily Cover.** Section VII(H) states that "daily cover of the waste fill areas shall be performed with clean soil that has not been in contact with waste, or . . . ." We recommend that this language be revised to correctly reflect the daily cover requirements in 30 TAC § 330.133(a) for facilities operating on a 24-hour basis. During the Public Hearing for the current permit held



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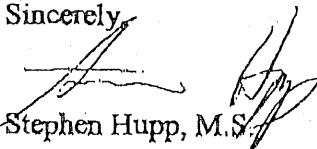
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As evidenced by this record, a common problem with the site has been odor violations; and it is an issue that Harris County has most concern with and would like tighter controls. Harris County Pollution Control has considered forwarding these violations for civil prosecution.

Better and enforceable permit provisions and the Applicant's compliance may avoid the need to seek prosecution. While the SOP addresses odor, it is written in general terms and is largely unenforceable. We ask TCEQ to modify the permit and the SOP to include more enforceable provisions. At a minimum, a comprehensive odor plan needs to be provided in the SOP. The following is a more detailed discussion of the odor management plan in the SOP and the need for tighter provisions:

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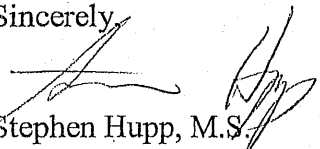
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